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E.O. LL652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (ROCKEFELLER, NELSON)

SUBJECT: VICE PRESIDENTIAL VISIT

REF: LONDON 14874

1. FOLLOWING IS PROPOSED SCHEDULE FOR VICE PRESIDENT
LONDON TRIP, OCTOBER 3-5:

SUNDAY OCT. 3 EVENING ARRIVAL HEATHROW. EMBASSY

WILL PROVIDE ARRIVAL STATEMENT SEPTTEL,
BUT EXPERIENCE SHOWS AIRPORT PRESS
THESE OCCASIONS LARGELY LIMITED TO
PHOTO COVERAGE.

MONDAY OCT. 4 HELD FREE UNTIL EARLY EVENING.

6:00 - 7:30 RECEPTION BY PILGRIMS
SOCIETY AT SAVOY HOTEL. HOSTS ARE
LORD HARLECH, LORD ASTOR. RECEPTION
ALREADY PLANNED TO THANK THOSE WHO
HELPED WITH BICENTENNIAL EXHIBITION
OF AMERICAN ART AT VICTORIA AND
ALBERT MUSEUM COSPONSORED BY YALE
UNIVERSITY AND ARTS COUNCIL OF GREAT
BRITAIN, BUT PILGRIMS WOULD LIKE TO
HAVE VICE PRESIDENT AS CHIEF GUEST.
THEY EXPECT ABOUT 75 PEOPLE.

8:00 BUFFET SUPPER AT WINFIELD HOUSE

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HOSTED BY AMBASSADOR ARMSTRONG FOR

100 PEOPLE.

TUESDAY OCT. 5 11:45 MEETING IN EMBASSY AUDITORIUM

WITH AMERICAN, BRITISH STAFF MEMBERS

WILL PROVIDE TALKING POINTS SEPTTEL.

12:30 LUNCH IN AMBASSADOR'S DINING

ROOM HOSTED BY DCM SPIERS FOR SIX TO

EIGHT SENIOR BRITISH EDITORS AND

BROADCAST EXECUTIVES. THIS WILL BE AN

OFF-THE-RECORD BACKGROUND SESSION.

PROPOSE HAVING EDITORS OF TIMES,

GUARDIAN, TELEGRAPH, ECONOMIST;

MANAGING DIRECTORS BBC, COMMERCIAL

NETWORK. LIST MAY VARY, BUT GUESTS

WILL BE OF SAME LEVEL.

3:30 - 4:00 PRESS CONFERENCE, U.S.

EMBASSY AUDITORIUM. WILL PROVIDE

OPENING STATEMENT TIED TO INDIAN

ART EXHIBIT: SUGGEST CURATOR TED COE

BE ON HAND, TOO. PRESS INTEREST WILL

OBVIOUSLY BE MUCH WIDER RANGING THAN

EXHIBIT, BUT COE MIGHT GET ONE OR TWO

OPPORTUNITIES TO PLUO EXHIBIT.

4:00 - 4:45 BBC TV, COMMERCIAL TV

WOULD EACH LIKE BE CONSIDERED FOR 10

MINUTE INTERVIEW WHICH CAN BE DONE

AT EMBASSY.

6:30N VICE PRESIDENT AND PARTY ARRIVE

AT HAYWARD GALLERY TO BE MET BY LORD

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DONALDSON, MINISTER FOR THE ARTS,
LORD GIBSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE ARTS
COUNCIL, AND ORGANIZERS OF EXHIBIT.
AFTER 15 MINUTES OF INTRODUCTIONS IN
GALLERY DIRECTOR'S OFFICE, PARTY WILL
WALK THROUGH EXHIBIT; THERE WILL BE
PHOTO OPPORTUNITIES AT SEVERAL POINTS.
7:30 VICE PRESIDENT AND PARTY DEPART
FOR ROYAL BANQUETING HOUSE, W/HITEHALL
8:00 - 8:30 RECEPTION LINE AT ROYAL
BANQUETING HOUSE; VICE PRESIDENT AND
MRS. ROCKEFELLER, LORD DONALDSON,
AMBASSADOR ARMSTRONG, LORD GIBSON.
8:30 SHORT TALKS BY LORD DONALDSON,
AMBASSADOR ARMSTRONG AND VICE
PRESIDENT. LORD GIBSON WILL MAKE
INTRODUCTIONS. AFTER THESE SPEECHES,
FOOD WILL BE SERVED BUFFET STYLE.
RECEPTION ENDS AT 10:00.

2. NO ROYALTY WILL BE PRESENT, BUT IT IS POSSIBLE THAT
EDUCATION MINISTER SHIRLEY WILLIAMS WILL TAKE OART.

3. IF SCHEDULE AS SO FAR DEVELOPED MEETS WITH VICE
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PRESIDENT'S APPROVAL. WILL PROCEED TO CONFIRM.

4. DEVISING SEPARATE BROGRAM FOR MRS. ROCKEFELLER;
WILL SUBMIT FOR APPROVAL TOMORROW.
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